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Subject:

To ensure using the latest information for flight operations, aircraft operators that have been approved by the CAA to use electronic flight bags (EFB) shall require flight crew to verify that the manuals and documents carried onboard in electronic form (iPads) are present before flight.

Description:

CAA inspectors found some flight crewmembers did not verify that the manuals carried onboard in their iPads were present before flight. The flight crewmembers failed to comply with the applicable EFB management procedures approved by the CAA per Aircraft Flight Operation Regulations (AOR) Article 109 and had constituted a violation of AOR Article 20 for not performing their duties in accordance with the relevant procedure prescribed in their Flight Operation Manual (FOM).

Recommendations:

1. Operators with approvals to utilize EFBs in accordance with AOR Article 109 shall require flight crewmembers to verify that the required documents/manuals carried onboard in their iPads are present before flight.
2. To ensure using the latest information for flight operations, flight crewmembers shall follow the applicable company standard operating procedures to verify and update all required electronic manuals/documents in iPads to be carried onboard before flight.
3. Operators shall enhance their internal evaluation programs to increase the awareness of appropriate crewmembers of their responsibility to promote continuous compliance with all regulatory requirements and good operating practices.